

4386 (to the amendment of the House to the amendment of the Senate to the bill), in the nature of a substitute, and, in accordance with the provisions of rule XXII of the Standing Rules of the Senate, a vote on cloture will occur on Friday, June 25, 2010. **Page S5310**

During consideration of this measure, Senate also took the following action:

Coburn Amendment No. 4331 (to Amendment No. 4369), to pay for the cost of this act by reducing wasteful, inefficient, excessive and duplicative government spending, fell when the Baucus motion to concur in the amendment of the House to the amendment of the Senate to the bill, with Baucus Amendment No. 4369 (to the amendment of the House to the amendment of the Senate to the bill) was tabled. **Page S5305**

Casey/Brown (OH) Amendment No. 4371 (to Amendment No. 4369), to provide for the extension of premium assistance for COBRA benefits, fell when the Baucus motion to concur in the amendment of the House to the amendment of the Senate to the bill, with Baucus Amendment No. 4369 (to the amendment of the House to the amendment of the Senate to the bill) was tabled. **Page S5305**

LeMieux Amendment No. 4300 (to Amendment No. 4369), to establish an expedited procedure for consideration of a bill returning spending levels to 2007 levels, fell when the Baucus motion to concur in the amendment of the House to the amendment of the Senate to the bill, with Baucus Amendment No. 4369 (to the amendment of the House to the amendment of the Senate to the bill) was tabled. **Page S5305**

A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the amendment of the House of Representatives to the amendment of the Senate to the bill, at approximately 10:30 a.m., on Thursday, June 24, 2010. **Page S5380**

Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Michael Peter Huerta, of the District of Columbia, to be Deputy Administrator of the Federal Aviation Administration.

Rafael Moure-Eraso, of Massachusetts, to be Chairperson of the Chemical Safety and Hazard Investigation Board for a term of five years.

Rafael Moure-Eraso, of Massachusetts, to be a Member of the Chemical Safety and Hazard Investigation Board for a term of five years.

Mark A. Griffon, of New Hampshire, to be a Member of the Chemical Safety and Hazard Investigation Board for a term of five years.

Christopher A. Masingill, of Arkansas, to be Federal Cochairperson, Delta Regional Authority.

Malcolm D. Jackson, of Illinois, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency. **Pages S5311, S5380**

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Record Votes: Two record votes were taken today. (Total—198) **Page S5306**

Adjournment: Senate convened at 9:30 a.m. and adjourned at 9:15 p.m., until 9:30 a.m. on Thursday, June 24, 2010. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Majority Leader in today's Record on page S5380.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

APPROPRIATIONS: DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense received testimony from sundry public witnesses requesting funding for programs in the Department of Defense appropriations bill for fiscal year 2011.

MINERALS MANAGEMENT SERVICE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Interior, Environment, and Related Agencies concluded a hearing to examine Minerals Management Service reorganization, after receiving testimony from Ken Salazar, Secretary, and Michael Browich, Director, Bureau of Ocean Energy Management, Regulation, and Enforcement, both of the Department of the Interior.

FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION'S PRODUCT REVIEW PROCESS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies concluded a hearing to examine the Food and Drug Administration's review process for products to treat rare diseases and neglected tropical diseases, after receiving testimony

from Gloria Steele, Senior Deputy Assistant Administrator for Global Health, U.S. Agency for International Development; Jesse L. Goodman, Chief Scientist and Deputy Commissioner for Science and Public Health, Office of the Chief Scientist, Office of the Commissioner, Food and Drug Administration, Christopher P. Austin, Director, National Institutes of Health Chemical Genomics Center, Senior Advisor to the Director for Translational Research, Office of the Director, National Human Genome Research Institute, National Institutes of Health; and Emil Kakkis, Kakkis EveryLife Foundation, Diane Edquist Dorman, National Organization for Rare Disorders, and Thomas J. Bollyky, Center for Global Development, all of Washington, D.C.

UNITED STATES–CHINA TRADE RELATIONSHIP

Committee on Finance: Committee concluded a hearing to examine the United States-China trade relationship, focusing on finding a new path forward, after receiving testimony from Gary Locke, Secretary of Commerce; and Ron Kirk, United States Trade Representative, Executive Office of the President.

RISING CHINA

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded a hearing to examine finding common ground with a rising China, after receiving testimony from Laura Tyson, University of California Haas School of Business, Berkeley; and Carla A. Hills, Hills & Company, International Consultants, Washington, D.C.

UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE

Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs: Subcommittee on Federal Financial Management, Government Information, Federal Services, and International Security, concluded a joint hearing with the House Oversight and Government Reform Subcommittee on Federal Workforce, Postal Service, and the District of Columbia to examine customer and employee views on the future of the United States Postal Service, after receiving testimony from H. James Gooden, American Lung Association, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; Don Hall, Jr., Hallmark

Cards, Inc., Kansas City, Missouri; Allen Abbott, Paul Frederick Menstyle, Inc., Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania; Keith McFalls, Prime Therapeutics, Dallas, Texas; Paul Misener, Amazon.com, San Francisco, California; Andrew Rendich, Netflix, Inc., Los Gatos, California; Don Cantriel, National Rural Letter Carriers' Association, St. Louis, Missouri; Fredric V. Rolando, National Association of Letter Carriers, AFL–CIO, and William Burrus, American Postal Workers Union, AFL–CIO, both of Washington, D.C.; Richard Collins, National Postal Mail Handlers Union, Rochester, Virginia; Louis Atkins, National Association of Postal Supervisors, Arlington, Virginia; and Charles Mapa, National League of Postmasters, and Robert Rapoza, National Association of Postmasters of the United States, both of Alexandria, Virginia.

OFFICE OF THE INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee concluded an oversight hearing to examine the Office of the Intellectual Property Enforcement Coordinator, after receiving testimony from Victoria Espinel, Intellectual Property Enforcement Coordinator, Office of Management and Budget; Barry M. Meyer, Warner Bros. Entertainment Inc., Burbank, California; Paul E. Almeida, The American Federation of Labor and Congress of Industrial Organizations (AFL–CIO), and David Hirschmann and Mark T. Esper, both of the U.S. Chamber of Commerce, all of Washington, D.C.; and Caroline Bienstock, Carlin America, Inc., New York, New York.

SENATE FILIBUSTER

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee concluded a hearing to examine the filibuster, focusing on silent filibusters, holds and the Senate confirmation process, after receiving testimony from Senators Wyden, McCaskill and Grassley; G. Calvin Mackenzie, Colby College, Waterville, Maine; Lee Rawls, National War College, Kensington, Maryland; and Thomas E. Mann, The Brookings Institution, Washington, D.C.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced: 15 public bills, H.R. 5575–5589; and 5 resolutions, H.J.

Res. 93; and H. Res. 1467, 1469–1471, were introduced. **Pages H4778–79**

Additional Cosponsors:

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed today as follows: